

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently Amended) A topically applicable composition, ~~characterized in that it comprises~~ comprising at least one *Aphanizomenon-flos-aquae flos-aquae* extract at a concentration between 0.01 and 10% by dry weight of the total weight of the composition.

2. (Currently Amended) The composition according to claim 1, ~~characterized in that it exists~~ existing in the form of simple or multiple emulsions such as a water/oil emulsion or an oil/water emulsion or even a triphasic emulsion, and/or a gel, or an aqueous or hydroalcoholic solution.

3. (Currently Amended) The composition according to claim 1, ~~characterized in that it exists~~ existing in the form of a vectorized system with controlled release or modulated release.

4. (Original) The use of a composition according to claim 1, in order to make products for treating upper layers of the epidermis and/or hair.

5. (Currently Amended) The use of a composition according to ~~any of claims 1 to 4~~ claim 1, for making a cosmetic.

6. (Currently Amended) The use of a composition according to ~~any of claims 1 to 4~~ claim 1, for making a dermatological composition.

7. (Currently Amended) A composition for after-sun care, ~~characterized in that it comprises~~ comprising:

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| ▪ Demineralized water | qs*100% |
| ▪ Sequestrene®NA4/Celon®E/Trilon®B | 0.01% |
| ▪ Nipagin®M/methyl-POB | 0.05% |
| ▪ Carbopol ®940 | 15.00% |
| ▪ Triethanolamine | 0.5-1% |
| ▪ Antimicrobial preservative | 0.5-1% |
| ▪ Silicone | 1-2% |
| ▪ Perfume | 0.15% |
| ▪ <i>Aphanizomenon-flos-aquae flos-aquae</i>
extract | 0.5-5% |
- in solution in sorbitol and water
(i.e. 1-5% of dry *Aphanizomenon-flos-aquae flos-aquae*
extract)

8. (Currently Amended) A composition for after-sun care, ~~characterized in that it comprises~~ comprising:

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| ▪ Emulium ® | 4.0% |
| ▪ Amerchol® | 6.0% |
| ▪ Amerlate ® | 2.0% |
| ▪ Oily calendula Vegetol ® | 2.0% |
| ▪ LNST ® 98 | 1.0% |
| ▪ Demineralized water | qs100% |
| ▪ Carbopol ® | 10.0% |
| ▪ Abil ® | 6.0% |
| ▪ Demineralized water | 5.0% |

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▪ Triethanolamine	0.2%
▪ Antimicrobial preservative	0.5%
▪ Natural glycerin	4.0%
▪ Fluidamid ®DF125	4.0%
▪ <i>Aphanizomenon-flos-aquae flos-aquae</i> extract	0.5-5%
in solution in sorbitol and water (i.e. 1-5% of dry <i>Aphanizomenon-flos-aquae flos-</i> <i>aquae</i> extract)	
▪ Perfume	0.3%

9. (Currently Amended) A composition for washing and taking care of hair, ~~characterized in that it comprises~~ comprising:

▪ Texapon®	10.00%
▪ Demineralized water	qs100%
▪ Sequestrene®	0.05%
▪ Tego betain®	10.00%
▪ Empilan ®	4.00%
▪ Hydralphatine 3P	3.00%
▪ Antimicrobial preservative	0.50%
▪ Glutamate	15.00%
▪ Oramix®	6.00%
▪ Simulsol®	1.00%
▪ Demineralized water	5.00%
▪ Acrysol®	6.00%
▪ <i>Aphanizomenon-flos-aquae flos-aquae</i> extract	0.5-5%
in solution in sorbitol and water (i.e. 1-5% of dry <i>Aphanizomenon-flos-aquae flos-</i> <i>aquae</i> extract)	

10. (Currently Amended) An antiwrinkle composition,
~~characterized in that it comprises~~ comprising:

- Demineralized water qs100%
- Sepigel® 1.0%
- Emulium® 3.0%
- Amerchol® 4.0%
- Crodamol® 8.0%
- Abil® 5.0%
- Antimicrobial preservative 0.3%
- Fluidamid®DF15 3.0%
- *Aphanizomenon-flos-aquae flos-aquae*
extract 0.5-5%
in solution in sorbitol and water
(i.e. 1-5% of dry *Aphanizomenon-flos-aquae flos-*
aquae extract)

11. (Currently Amended) A treatment mask composition for
dried hair ~~characterized in that it comprises~~ comprising:

- Cetearyl glucoside 7%
- Coco betaine 0.5%
- Shea butter 4%
- Beeswax 2%
- Dimethicone 5%
- Demineralized water qs100%
- Decyl glucoside 1%
- Perfume 0.5%
- Antimicrobial preservative 0.5%
- *Aphanizomenon-flos-aquae flos-aquae*
extract 0.5-5%
in solution in sorbitol and water
(i.e. 1-5% of dry *Aphanizomenon-flos-aquae flos-*
aquae extract)

12. (Currently Amended) A night cream, ~~characterized in that it comprises~~ comprising:

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| ▪ Cetearyl glucoside | 6% |
| ▪ Vegetable oils | 20% |
| ▪ DL-alpha tocopherol | 0.05% |
| ▪ Dimineralized water | qs100% |
| ▪ Antimicrobial preservative | 0.5% |
| ▪ Perfume | 0.3% |
| ▪ <i>Aphanizomenon-flos-aquae flos-aquae</i>
extract | 0.5-5% |
- in solution in sorbitol and water
(i.e. 1-5% of dry *Aphanizomenon-flos-aquae flos-aquae* extract)

13. (Currently Amended) A method for preparing a composition according to claim 1, ~~characterized in that it comprises~~ comprising the following steps:

- at least one maceration at a temperature from 25 to 50°C and, preferably 35°C, of dried *Aphanizomenon-flos-aquae flos-aquae* blue algae in the presence of enzymes such as cellulases, pectinases, and glucanases, for a time from ten minutes to ten hours, and preferably for four hours under stirring,
- a liquid/solid separation by centrifugation,
- a liquid/liquid separation by a membrane filtration method,
- drying and/or dilution in a solution containing specific adjuvants for example sorbitol,
- optional specific separation of the different thereby extracted constituents, for example by chromatography, the different substances obtained may be used alone or as a mixture.

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14. (Currently Amended) The method according to claim 13, ~~characterized in that~~ wherein the drying step is a standard (heat) drying step or a drying step by nebulization or freeze-drying.

15. (Currently Amended) The method according to claim 13, ~~characterized in that~~ wherein the aforesaid extract is dissolved in an aqueous solution such as a water/sorbitol mixture.